



## 2002 Census of Agriculture Senate District Profile

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### Senate District 35, Pennsylvania

Number of farms	1,286
Land in farms (acres)	165,187
Average size of farm (acres)	128
Irrigated Acres	692
Total Number of Farm Operators	1,897
Market Value of Production (dollars)	49,703,000
Market Value of Production, average per farm (dollars)	38,649
Government Payments (dollars)	1,523,000
Government Payments, average per farm (dollars)	5,270
Gross Income from Farms Related Sources (dollars) 1/	3,483,000

#### FARMS BY SIZE

1-9 Acres/Farm	123
10-49 Acres/Farm	344
50-179 Acres/Farm	603
180-499 Acres/Farm	160
500-999 Acres/Farm	40
1,000+ Acres/Farm	16

#### LAND USE

Farms with Cropland	1,193
Farms with Woodland	833
Farms with Other	867
Farms with Pasture and Rangeland	415

	Quantity	State Rank	Universe 2/
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>			
Total value of agricultural products sold	49,703	20	50
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000) 3/</b>			
Grains and oilseeds	4,749	17	42
Tobacco	475	5	15
Cotton and cottonseed	-		
Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes	2,912	18	45
Fruit, tree nuts, and berries	347	31	43
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture and sod crops	5,082	27	49
Cut Christmas trees and woody crops	340	18	41
Poultry and eggs	631	22	40
Cattle and calves	6,399	18	43
Milk products	23,692	16	39
Hogs and pigs	493	20	41
Sheep, goats, and their products	109	19	42
Horses, ponies, mules	371	22	39
Aquaculture	477	11	32

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	Quantity	State rank	Universe 2/
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>			
Layers 20 weeks old and older	37,450	19	42
Cattle and calves	29,768	17	45
Mink	11,650	1	5
Pheasants	5,106	8	38
Hogs and pigs	3,430	20	40
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<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>			
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and green chop	42,820	17	45
Corn for grain	15,118	18	43
Corn for silage	9,414	15	40
Oats	6,939	8	39
All Wheat for grain	3,414	17	39
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<b>FARMS BY VALUE OF SALES</b>			
Less than \$1,000	411		
\$1,000 to \$2,499	191		
\$2,500 to \$4,999	158		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	126		
\$10,000 to \$19,999	86		
\$20,000 to \$24,999	29		
\$25,000 to \$39,999	40		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	23		
\$50,000 to \$99,999	72		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	111		
\$250,000 to \$499,999	23		
\$500,000 or more	16		
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	47,679		
Average per farm (dollars)	36,903		
Net cash return from agricultural sales for the farm unit (\$1,000)	9,828		
Average per farm (dollars)	7,607		
<b>PRINCIPAL OPERATORS BY PRIMARY OCCUPATION</b>			
Farming	673		
Other	613		
<b>PRINCIPAL OPERATORS BY GENDER</b>			
Male	1,171		
Female	115		
Average age of principal operator (years)	54		
<b>ALL OPERATORS BY RACE 4/</b>			
White	1,830		
Black or African American	-		
American Indian or Alaska Native	4		
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-		
Asian	4		
More than one race	-		
All operators with Spanish, Hispanic or Latino Origin	16		

(D) Cannot be disclosed.

1/ Custom work, farm rent, forest products, recreational services, cooperative dividends, animal boarding, tax refunds, etc.

2/ Universe is the number of senate districts in the state with the item. Pennsylvania has 50 senate districts.

3/ Categories are not comprehensive and will not sum to total.

4/ Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.

5/ Items with a rank that cannot be disclosed are separated by a blank line. Position in the table does not indicate rank.